

## **APPENDIX C**

### **PUBLIC MEETING TRANSCRIPT**

ORIGINAL

1 PROPOSED PLANS FOR  
2 THE GROUNDWATER AT SITES  
3 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20  
4 (PORTION OF OPERABLE UNIT 9)

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1           MR. EVANS: Tonight's kind of a  
2 combination. It's kind of regularly  
3 scheduled restoration advisory board  
4 meeting that we have every quarter.

5                     But we are also going to  
6 use this time to do a public meeting on  
7 a proposed remedial alternative out for  
8 public comment right now. And we'll get  
9 into that in just a little bit.

10                    What we're going to do, I  
11 think the only item on the agenda  
12 tonight is we're going to actually  
13 present the proposed remedial action  
14 plan for what we're calling Operable  
15 Unit 9.

16                    It's kind of the ground  
17 operable water unit for most of the  
18 northern part of the sub base. And  
19 we'll get into most of the details of  
20 that soon.

21                    Well, I guess we might as  
22 well do that right now.

23           MR. RICH: Thanks, Mark.

24                    Good evening, everybody.

1 As Mark said, my name is Corey Rich. I  
2 work for Tetra Tech NUS.

3 If everybody didn't get  
4 one, there's handouts in the back.

5 There's a handout package  
6 plus there are copies of the proposed  
7 plan itself that was issued on, I  
8 believe, August -- or September 24.

9 And there's also a copy of  
10 the actual public notice back there that  
11 was issued on the 24th and there's a  
12 sign-in sheet back there, so please sign  
13 in.

14 Next slide, Mark.

15 Tonight for our  
16 presentation, we've just concluded our  
17 introduction. The technical  
18 presentation will give a brief  
19 introductory/review of the regulatory  
20 process that we're following here.

21 We're going to describe  
22 the Operable Unit 9, and then we'll get  
23 into the details for the proposed plan  
24 for the groundwater at these six sites.

1 in the record of decision.

2                   Once the remedy is  
3 selected, we go to the design phase and  
4 determine how we're going to implement  
5 the remedy. Then we conduct the actual  
6 remedy, we get it done, and then  
7 generally there's some maintenance and  
8 operation concerns with that remedy.

9                   The proposed plan itself  
10 is a document used to facilitate public  
11 involvement in the CERCLA process,  
12 presents the lead agency's, who is the  
13 Navy in this case, preferred alternative  
14 to address the contamination at a site.

15                   It presents the  
16 alternatives that were evaluated and the  
17 reasons for recommending the preferred  
18 alternative and it's a public  
19 participation requirement under CERCLA  
20 and the NCP.

21                   And the next phase is a  
22 record of decision where we -- it's a  
23 legal document that's prepared by Navy  
24 in consultation with the support

1 agencies to document the remedial  
2 action. It's a requirement under CERCLA  
3 and the NCP. It's a technical document  
4 that provides information necessary for  
5 determining the conceptual engineering  
6 components and outlines remedial  
7 objectives and cleanup levels for the  
8 selected remedy.

9 And it's a tool to explain  
10 to the public the problems the remedy  
11 seeks to address and the rationale for  
12 the selection.

13 Operable Unit 9 which  
14 we're here to discuss tonight includes  
15 the groundwater at these sites: Sites 2,  
16 3, 7, 9, 14, 15, 18, 20, and 23.

17 Mark, if you could go to  
18 Figure 1.

19 This is also included in  
20 your handout, Figure 1. And it's also  
21 part of the proposed plan. I believe  
22 it's Figure 10 in the proposed plan.

23 The areas in this northern  
24 region of the sub base that's outlined

1 here is included in the Operable Unit 9  
2 and these areas over here are included  
3 in Operable Unit 9. Site 3, which is  
4 one of the sites, is this area in here.

5 Site 7 is this area right  
6 here. Site 14 is a very small site  
7 right here. Site 15 is over here. Site  
8 18 is also over there. Site 20 is  
9 located up here.

10 And -- well, this is Site  
11 2 which we won't be discussing tonight,  
12 and this is Site 9 and 23 over here.

13 All those sites make up  
14 Operable Unit 9, but we're only here to  
15 discuss Sites 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, and 20  
16 tonight, and we'll get into some more  
17 details as to why we're only looking at  
18 those sites in just a few minutes.

19 Basically we have  
20 sufficient information for those sites I  
21 mentioned to select interim remedies.

22 We're going to collect  
23 some additional information at those  
24 other three sites -- Sites 2, 9, and



1 23 -- and evaluate those a little  
2 further before we're comfortable in  
3 selecting the remedies for the  
4 groundwater and in the end we'll sign a  
5 final record of decision for the total

6 Operable Unit 9 once we have made our  
7 interim decisions for the remedies.

8                   So, to move forward, we're  
9 going to discuss those six sites that I  
10 mentioned -- Sites 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, and  
11 20 -- and go through the details of  
12 those sites and identify what remedies  
13 we propose for those sites.

14                   So a quick review of what  
15 Site 3 is. Site 3 is the Area A  
16 Downstream Water Courses and Over Bank  
17 Disposal Area. The site covers  
18 approximately 75 acres and contains  
19 mainly undeveloped wooded areas and some  
20 recreational areas.

21                   The major sources of  
22 contamination at the site included  
23 historic application of pesticides.  
24 There are some abandoned disposal areas.

1                   And Site 7, which is just  
2   upgradient of Site 3, had a septic  
3   system leach field which released some  
4   contamination to the subsurface and has  
5   migrated into Site 3.

6                   Site 3 itself, the soil  
7   and the sediment at the site, was  
8   remediated in 1999 and 2000.  
9   Approximately 18,000 tons of material  
10  was excavated and disposed of off site.

11                  Most of contamination in  
12  the soils and sediments was related to  
13  the historic pesticide use or  
14  application.

15                  There was also some  
16  metals, I believe, in the soils. And  
17  there's also another remedial action  
18  that is being planned for some  
19  petroleum-contaminated soil that was  
20  identified at the site. And that was  
21  discussed at a public meeting in July of  
22  this year, 2004.

23                  This picture gives you general  
24  idea of what Site 3 looks like. This is

1 one of the streams and part of one of  
2 the ponds in Site 3 that was remediated  
3 back in 1999 and 2000. So it's a  
4 fairly, you know, wooded rural area.

5 To determine what the  
6 nature and extent of the contamination  
7 is out at the site, the site has been  
8 investigated through numerous phases  
9 starting with the Phase 1 RI back in  
10 the early '90s.

11 It was further evaluated  
12 in the mid '90s, and then we've looked  
13 at the groundwater a couple times since  
14 then in 2000 and 2002.

15 Basically, the main  
16 contaminants in the groundwater are  
17 chlorinated solvents like  
18 trichlorethylene. We've seen some of  
19 the breakdowns components of  
20 trichlorethylene including DCE, or  
21 dichloroethylene, and vinyl chloride.

22 The solvents were mainly  
23 detected along one of the streams,  
24 Stream 5. It seems to be migrating

1 along that stream valley, and the likely  
2 sources were the leaching fields that I  
3 mentioned in Site 7, the Torpedo Shops.

4 And in general the  
5 concentrations have decreased over time.  
6 We've been sampling out there for almost  
7 a decade and concentrations have  
8 generally decreased over time.

9 So, it doesn't appear that  
10 there's a significant continuing source  
11 out there right now. It seems to be  
12 dropping off.

13 Figure 2 gives us a  
14 summary of the main contaminants out  
15 there. It's going to be better for  
16 you to look probably at your handout to  
17 see the actual concentrations. I may  
18 actually have to do the same.

19 This figure shows us the  
20 kind of the major contaminant  
21 concentrations that we had out there.  
22 And, in general, the concentrations  
23 aren't that high. They generally just

1 exceed MCLs or some regulatory criteria.

2                   They're not extremely high  
3 by any means. I believe our maximum  
4 concentration of vinyl chloride was  
5 detected over here at 2DMW29S back in  
6 2000 and we had 31 parts per billion.  
7 And some of our highest TCE  
8 concentrations are, say, 9 to 10 parts  
9 per billion.

10                   So those aren't extremely  
11 high, but they do exceed regulatory  
12 criteria and do present a potential  
13 concern to receptors.

14                   We also found during the  
15 investigation in 2002 some polynuclear  
16 aromatic hydrocarbons in the groundwater  
17 samples, but we took a look at the data  
18 and the data itself was from temporary  
19 wells, and they had some high suspended  
20 solids.

21                   And it appeared these  
22 results were an artifact of those --  
23 some petroleum contamination at the Site  
24 3 new source area that were suspended in

1 the groundwater samples versus actual  
2 groundwater contamination itself.

3                   We used the groundwater  
4 data in human health risk assessments,  
5 and the risks that were the results of  
6 the risk assessment showed us that  
7 there's really no unacceptable risk to  
8 current receptors such as a construction  
9 worker under the industrial setting  
10 that's out there right now.

11                   But if you would -- if it  
12 would be developed as a residential area  
13 in the future and groundwater would be  
14 used for drinking water source, there  
15 would be unacceptable risks from the  
16 groundwater itself.

17                   The main contaminants that  
18 would drive those risks are TCE, or  
19 trichlorethylene, and vinyl chloride.

20                   We took a look at  
21 potential eco concerns and, in general,  
22 there's no risk anticipated from the  
23 migration of the groundwater  
24 contaminants to the surface water.

1                   But the petroleum we've  
2   identified at Site 3 presents a  
3   potential issue and this will be  
4   addressed during an upcoming remedial  
5   action.

6                   Because there are  
7   potential risks at the site, we needed  
8   to proceed from the RI to the  
9   Feasibility Study stage. We developed  
10  remedial action objectives to focus the  
11  direction of the feasibility study.

12                  And the objectives we  
13  identified were to protect any current  
14  receptors from incidental exposure to  
15  groundwater contaminated with petroleum  
16  or chlorinated solvents above  
17  preliminary remediation goals which we  
18  identified based on existing regulatory  
19  criteria and from the risk assessment.

20                  We also want to protect  
21  future receptors from drinking the  
22  water -- that would be a residential  
23  scenario -- and also make sure we  
24  protect the ecological receptors at the

1 site.

2                   Once we developed our  
3 remedial action objectives, we go  
4 through a screening process. We  
5 develop -- we look at various  
6 technologies and go through a screening  
7 process which allows us to come to  
8 various alternatives that we explore in  
9 more detail.

10                   We went through that  
11 process and because of the sporadic  
12 nature of our contaminants and the  
13 widespread distribution of the  
14 contaminants, we didn't seem to have an  
15 actual plume itself. It was kind of  
16 some low level concentrations across the  
17 site.

18                   The site is under Navy  
19 control. There's no current use of the  
20 groundwater and the groundwater itself  
21 is currently classified by the State.

22                   That all kind of focused  
23 us into just two alternatives being  
24 viable for the site itself. And they



1 were, one, the no action alternative,  
2 which is a required alternative under  
3 CERCLA for us to look at as a  
4 comparison, and also we looked at  
5 institutional controls with monitoring.

6                   The no action alternative  
7 would, in present worth dollars, cost  
8 about \$89,600, and it would involve  
9 just keeping an eye on the site and  
10 doing our five-year site reviews just to  
11 verify that there's no real concerns  
12 with the site in the future.

13                   Under the institutional  
14 controls with monitoring, the present  
15 worth cost of this alternative would be  
16 approximately \$320,000.

17                   We would need to identify  
18 the location and the magnitude of the  
19 groundwater contamination and then,  
20 through institutional controls, restrict  
21 any extraction or use of the groundwater  
22 so there's no adverse impacts to human  
23 health or the environment.

24                   We would also monitor any

1 migration and degradation of the  
2 contaminants so that we know when we've  
3 reached our remedial goals for the  
4 groundwater.

5                   And, throughout this  
6 process, we would also need to conduct  
7 our five-year site reviews just to  
8 confirm that the site's -- that the  
9 remedy is still protective and still  
10 being implemented as discussed in the  
11 ROD.

12                   So those are the  
13 alternatives for Site 3, and I'll  
14 summarize the Navy's preferred approach  
15 at the end of the presentation. So I'll  
16 present the preferred remedy at the end.

17                   The next site we looked at  
18 was Site 7. It's the Torpedo Shops, and  
19 it's located in the northern portion of  
20 sub base New London. And as the name  
21 indicates, they conduct maintenance  
22 activities on torpedoes on the site.

23                   The main contaminants have  
24 been solvents and petroleum products

1 that are used there or stored at the  
2 site. And it appears that there was a  
3 septic system used at the site until the  
4 early '80s and some of these solvents  
5 were dumped down or just got disposed of  
6 in this septic system and appear to have  
7 migrated into the groundwater.

8                   There is also some  
9 underground storage tanks at the site,  
10 and petroleum product was stored and  
11 used at the site.

12                   There may have been some  
13 leaks from those. We also discussed the  
14 soil and contaminated -- or soil and  
15 waste at the site during our July public  
16 meeting, and we've identified a remedial  
17 action to address that contaminated soil  
18 and that's currently being planned and  
19 will be conducted probably next year  
20 sometime.

21                   There was -- looks like  
22 some solvent-contaminated soil or waste  
23 still related to the septic system that  
24 we need to address on the west side of

1 Building 325, and there appears to be  
2 some PAH-contaminated soil on the south  
3 side of Building 325.

4 This is actually Building  
5 325 here. This would be the west side  
6 of the building, and the septic  
7 system -- septic tank is over in this  
8 area, and there's a line that's over  
9 here and the leach field is over here.

10 This would be the south  
11 side of the building where the  
12 underground storage tanks used to be and  
13 where some PAH-contaminated soil was  
14 identified.

15 The torpedo shops have  
16 been investigated for almost a decade as  
17 well, starting back in the early '90s and  
18 finishing up here in early 2000. The  
19 solvent contamination that we've seen  
20 near the septic system, most of the  
21 contaminants that were identified were  
22 benzene, chlorobenzenes, and TCE.

23 If you go to Figure 3, I  
24 believe this is Figure 3 in the handout.

1 If you'd look at your handout, the  
2 septic tank itself we believe is in this  
3 area right here from historic drawings  
4 and so forth. This hatched area is what  
5 we think is a small plume, maybe  
6 emanating from that area.

7                   We've had some  
8 dichlorobenzene hits, about 90 parts per  
9 billion, up in that area, and  
10 chlorobenzene at 165 parts per billion.

11                   We've also had some  
12 sporadic TCE hits throughout the site.  
13 Up in this area, we had a hit of about 7  
14 to 8 parts per billion.

15                   There was a northern leach  
16 field up in this area which the actual  
17 leach field is kind of right in behind  
18 that tag. That may have been the source  
19 of some of the TCE, but we're seeing  
20 some of the chlorobenzenes and benzenes  
21 and they seem like they're coming out of  
22 this area where this former septic tank was.

23                   We used the existing  
24 groundwater data that we collected to do

1 risk assessments similar to what we had  
2 seen in Site 3. We have some low level  
3 contamination which doesn't impact the  
4 current receptors at the site.

5 But the concentrations are  
6 high enough that they might impact a  
7 future resident if that sort of scenario  
8 would be applicable to this site.

9 So, there are potential  
10 risks to these future residents and the  
11 benzene -- chlorobenzenes and the TCE  
12 would be the risk drivers. The  
13 ecological risks there wouldn't be any  
14 real significant risks to the ecological  
15 receptors at the site.

16 So we went through this --  
17 we went through a Feasibility Study for  
18 this site because of those potential  
19 risks to future receptors. We  
20 identified similar remedial action  
21 objectives for the groundwater.

22 We want to protect the  
23 receptors to exposure from the  
24 groundwater. We want to protect future

1 receptors from the groundwater and we  
2 want to make sure that the ecological  
3 receptors stay safe.

4                   In this -- for this site,  
5 we did look at three different  
6 alternatives. Contrary to Site 3, the  
7 chlorinated contaminants, especially the  
8 chlorobenzenes and the benzenes, seem to  
9 be localized and allowed us to explore  
10 an alternative of extraction and  
11 off-site discharge that is more aggressive  
12 and proactive.

13                   And we also included  
14 similar alternatives such as no action  
15 and institutional controls with  
16 monitoring for the groundwater.

17                   Basically, the costs were  
18 similar for the no action and we're just  
19 looking at the same thing, looking at  
20 the mandatory five-year site reviews.

21                   For the institutional  
22 controls, it would be a slightly  
23 different monitoring program but it  
24 would involve very similar concepts. We

1 want to identify the location and  
2 magnitude of the contamination.

3 And we want to restrict  
4 extraction and use of the groundwater.  
5 We'll monitor it until the contaminants  
6 degrade to remedial goals and we'll  
7 conduct five-year reviews during that  
8 time frame. The costs would be about  
9 \$304,000.

10 For the extraction and  
11 off-site discharge, we would need to  
12 install and operate and subsequently  
13 decommission a groundwater extraction  
14 system. We would removed almost  
15 1,250,000 gallons of contaminated water  
16 and then treat it, pretreat it, and then  
17 discharge it to the public-owned  
18 treatment works or the public sewer  
19 system.

20 And the extraction system  
21 itself would be just one well pretty  
22 much on the downgrading edge of that  
23 small plume area that we showed, and  
24 you'd be pumping that well at about 4



1 gallons a minute to extract the  
2 1,250,000 gallons water.

3                   And we estimated that it  
4 would take about 31 weeks to do for a  
5 cost of a little over a million dollars.  
6 So, quite a bit higher than these other  
7 two alternatives and, as we'll see, it's  
8 fairly cost prohibitive to do something  
9 that -- to that level for this type of  
10 contamination and the potential risks  
11 associated with it.

12                   The next site, Site 14,  
13 the acronym OBDANE stands for Over Bank  
14 Disposal Area Northeast, Site 14's  
15 located near Sites 3 and 7, as discussed  
16 earlier.

17                   It was basically an area  
18 where miscellaneous wastes were dumped  
19 over the edge of a ravine.

20                   It was a handy spot for  
21 trucks to pull up and dump over in the  
22 past for the Navy. There was an area of  
23 about 80 feet in diameter where the  
24 wastes were dumped over the hillside.

1 The actual wastes and contaminated soils  
2 were cleaned up in 2001. About 270 tons  
3 of material was removed and the site was  
4 restored.

5 This is what the site  
6 looks like now. This hillside here is  
7 where the waste itself was. So it's in  
8 pretty good shape now as far as the  
9 soils were concerned.

10 We took a look at the  
11 groundwater here during several sampling  
12 events and, in general, we just saw  
13 naturally-occurring metals in the  
14 groundwater, no real contaminants of  
15 concern at the site.

16 So we didn't see any  
17 unacceptable risks to human health from  
18 exposure to the groundwater. We didn't  
19 anticipate any unacceptable risks to  
20 ecological receptors from the  
21 groundwater. So because there were no  
22 risks, we had no reason to proceed to an  
23 FS for the groundwater so the process  
24 will basically stop here.

1                   The next site, Site 15, is  
2   the Spent Acid Storage Disposal Area.  
3   It is located in the southern part of  
4   the sub base near Buildings 409 and 410.  
5   It was a historic -- historically used  
6   to store spent or waste battery acid.

7                   Subs historically used  
8   batteries for power and so they had a  
9   lot of battery acid. They would dump it  
10  there and subsequently, I believe, take  
11  it up to Area A Landfill for disposal.

12                  The Navy identified it as  
13  a significant concern back in the early  
14  '90s, and they did a time critical  
15  removal action in 1995 when they took  
16  out the tank, its contents, and about  
17  320 tons of lead-contaminated soil, and  
18  that soil was disposed of off site.

19                  You can see this somewhat  
20  triangular area here, the cut line in  
21  the pavement is where the spent acid  
22  storage tank was and where the removal  
23  action was completed.

24                  It was investigated

1 numerous times, both soil and the  
2 groundwater. The early investigations  
3 focused on soil and groundwater, and the  
4 State of Connecticut actually conducted  
5 a supplemental sampling event in '97 to  
6 confirm that there was no remaining soil  
7 contamination out there. A no further  
8 action source control ROD was signed for  
9 the site in that same year.

10 As part of a groundwater  
11 investigation conducted in 2000, and the  
12 report was issued in 2002, TCE and some  
13 metals were identified in the  
14 groundwater at the site which seemed to  
15 indicate that there were continuing  
16 problems at the site that may not have  
17 been addressed.

18 We went back out in 2002  
19 just to take a look at the site. We  
20 collected some additional groundwater  
21 samples, installed some additional  
22 wells, and also took some additional  
23 soil samples.

24 And what we found was it

1 appears that we had some problems with  
2 our 2000 results and some of the  
3 possible factors that contributed to the  
4 anomalies were -- we used some different  
5 sampling techniques and the laboratories  
6 may have had some interference issues  
7 with the metals that we were analyzing  
8 for, and some of the wells that were  
9 sampled hadn't been sampled for almost  
10 six or seven years and they weren't  
11 redeveloped.

12                   So we think we had some  
13 issues with our sampling event because  
14 the results of our 2002 investigation  
15 matched similar results that we had seen  
16 in our historic investigation. So we  
17 had one data set that seemed to be  
18 skewed from all the rest.

19                   So once we felt  
20 comfortable with the data set after  
21 looking at it a few times, we  
22 reevaluated the human health risks from  
23 exposure to groundwater and they were  
24 acceptable. There's no real exposure

1 pathway for ecological receptors at the  
2 site, so again, we had no reason to  
3 proceed to an FS for the groundwater.

4                   The fifth site we looked  
5 at was Site 18, or the Solvent Storage  
6 Area. It's also located very close to  
7 Site 15 in the southern portion of  
8 New London. It's a building that was  
9 used to store gas cylinders and 55-gallon  
10 drums of solvents.

11                   This is the building  
12 itself. Nothing really to speak of  
13 other than it was a building. We did an  
14 investigation at the site in 2000 and,  
15 in general, we didn't find any  
16 significant groundwater contamination at  
17 the site with the samples that we  
18 collected.

19                   We saw some metals.  
20 Generally the groundwater was very good  
21 at the site. So we had no unacceptable  
22 human health risks.

23                   Again, there were no  
24 ecological receptors, no pathway to

1    them, and there was no reason again to  
2    proceed to an FS for the groundwater at  
3    the site.

4                   The sixth and final site  
5    that we're here to discuss tonight  
6    is the Area A Weapons Center, Site 20.  
7    The site includes just one building,  
8    524, and there are weapons storage  
9    bunkers there.

10                   The contaminants at the  
11   site itself generally are related to  
12   small quantities of the chemicals and  
13   chemical waste that they generate on the  
14   site, and there's also liquid fuels and  
15   explosives that are stored in the  
16   bunkers associated with the torpedoes  
17   that are used for the submarines at the  
18   sub base in New London.

19                   A small remedial action  
20   was conducted to address soil  
21   contamination at the site back in 2001.  
22   They took out 200 cubic yards of PAH and  
23   inorganic contaminated soil.

24                   So this gives you -- I

1 think they did some remedial action  
2 somewhere in this area here or across in  
3 the stream here.

4                   You can kind of see the  
5 bunkers on the side here. This site has  
6 been investigated several times. We saw  
7 some low level concentrations of  
8 volatiles and semivolatiles out at the  
9 site, and the examples are TCE, we did  
10 see some low concentrations of TCE, and  
11 the polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons.  
12 And we also saw some naturally occurring  
13 metals at the site.

14                   Back in the -- say the  
15 Phase 2 RI, we identified some potential  
16 risks at the site. We did subsequent  
17 investigations at the site in 2000 and  
18 2002 to evaluate the data further, get a  
19 better handle on the contaminants out at  
20 the site.

21                   Through that time frame,  
22 there were some changes in risk  
23 assessment methodology and analysis  
24 methods and so forth, but we took a look



1 at that entire data set and looked at it  
2 and determined that there's really no  
3 significant human health risks  
4 associated with the groundwater at the  
5 site.

6                   There's generally no  
7 ecological risk assessment -- or no  
8 ecological risks associated with the  
9 groundwater and, again, we didn't have  
10 any reason to proceed to an FS since  
11 there were no risks associated with the  
12 groundwater at the site.

13                   So after we went through  
14 our evaluation and we did the  
15 Feasibility Studies for the groundwater  
16 at Sites 3 and 7, we decided that the  
17 best approach for the groundwater at  
18 these two sites was to select one  
19 approach that we could use to address  
20 the contamination at both sites and lump  
21 them together.

22                   And they were the  
23 institutional controls and monitoring  
24 alternatives that I identified before for

1 GW Groundwater Alternative 1-2 and

2 Groundwater Alternative 2-2.

3                   The actual remedies  
4 themselves will involve implementing  
5 these institutional controls. The Navy  
6 will need to develop mapping to show the  
7 location, magnitude, and type of  
8 contamination, and they'll need to  
9 enforce restrictions and extractions on  
10 the use of the groundwater.

11                   If we go back to Figure  
12 1 -- again, it's part of your handout --  
13 this map shows the areas where it will  
14 have these restrictions. They are  
15 highlighted in this golden color. So  
16 this area, which is about 75 to 80  
17 acres, will have restrictions on it.

18                   The sub base New London  
19 has a current document that they  
20 implement their restrictions in. What's  
21 it called? Base instruction,  
22 restriction instruction. These figures  
23 will get implemented into that and they  
24 will enforce the restrictions.

1                   We'll develop a  
2   long-term or groundwater monitoring  
3   program that will cover what will be  
4   performed as part of the monitoring  
5   program until the remedial goals are  
6   reached.

7                   They will identify the  
8   specific monitoring wells that will be  
9   included, the analytical parameters, and  
10  generally just all the specific details  
11  for the monitoring program.

12                  The Navy will conduct  
13  five-year reviews as required under  
14  CERCLA until the remedial goals are  
15  reached, and the total cost is basically  
16  a combined cost of these two  
17  alternatives that are developed and it  
18  will be approximately \$620,000 and  
19  that is the estimated cost for 30-year  
20  life cycle.

21                  The goals that we've  
22  selected for the groundwater at these  
23  sites, these are the goals that we want  
24  to reach through this process. We have

1 identified all the contaminants and then  
2 these are our remedial goals.

3                   So, for dichlorobenzene,  
4 we would be looking at 75 micrograms per  
5 liter or parts per billion. Benzene  
6 would be one part per billion.  
7 Chlorobenzene would be a hundred.  
8 Hexachlorobenzene would be one part per  
9 billion. TCE would be five, and vinyl  
10 chloride would be two.

11                   You can also see in  
12 brackets that we've identified what site  
13 this contaminant is currently a concern  
14 at, and we would develop our monitoring  
15 program to identify these contaminants  
16 at these particular sites so we know we  
17 have obtained these goals in the future.

18                   Those goals are  
19 generally -- have been selected, I  
20 believe, from federal and state MCLs  
21 and/or the Connecticut RSRs, or  
22 remediation standard regulations.  
23 They're generally all about the same.

24                   And for the groundwater at

1 the remaining four sites -- or Sites 14,  
2 15, 18, and 20 -- we recommend no  
3 further action because the available  
4 information indicates that the  
5 groundwater at these sites does not  
6 present any unacceptable risks to human  
7 health or the environment.

8                   So, to summarize where  
9 we're at on the schedule for these  
10 sites, we're currently in the public  
11 comment period.

12                   The proposed plan was  
13 issued on the 24th of September, and the  
14 public comment period will end up on  
15 October 25. We're here tonight to have  
16 our public meeting to identify  
17 everything to the public.

18                   Once we get our comments  
19 and we'll respond to those and address  
20 any issues that are identified in the  
21 October to November time frame as part  
22 of the responsiveness summary, and then  
23 we'll prepare a final record of decision  
24 and that should go out sometime in

1 December of 2004.

2                   And these are the points  
3 of contact for the work that we're  
4 doing. Mark Evans is in the front here  
5 running the slide presentation for me,  
6 and Melissa is sitting back there.  
7 Kimberlee is here and Mark Lewis from the  
8 state is also here. So if you have any  
9 other questions that you would like to  
10 raise to them, I've provided their  
11 contact information for you.

12                   So that concludes my  
13 technical presentation. At this time,  
14 we'll open up the floor for any  
15 questions. Since this is a public  
16 meeting, we do have a stenographer here  
17 and he's recording minutes of the  
18 meeting.

19                   So we would like -- if you  
20 would -- if you have a specific  
21 question, please state your name and  
22 your question and we'll try to respond  
23 to it here or we can provide a written  
24 response at a later time if we can't

1 address it right now.

2 Anybody have any specific  
3 questions?

4 Okay. That concludes our  
5 public meeting at 7:20.

6 (THEREUPON, THE HEARING WAS  
7 CONCLUDED AT 7:20 p.m.)

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3                   We hereby certify that a Notary  
4       Public, in and for the State of  
5       Connecticut, duly commissioned and  
6       qualified to administer oaths, was present  
7       at the foregoing hearing.

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9                   We further certify that the  
10      foregoing transcript was taken  
11      stenographically by a representative of  
12      our firm and reduced to typewriting under  
13      our direction, and the foregoing is a true  
14      and accurate transcript of the hearing.

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16                  We further certify that we are  
17      neither of counsel nor attorney to any of  
18      the parties to said cause, nor are we an  
19      employee of any party to said cause, nor  
20      are we interested in the outcome of said  
21      cause.

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1                   Witness my hand as Notary Public  
2       this 10 of October, 2004.

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## **APPENDIX D**

### **HUMAN HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT RAGS PART D TABLES**

**LIST OF TABLES**  
**RAGS PART D TABLE 9**  
**SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs**

**Table No.**

**REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURES**

9.1.RME	Construction Workers - Site 3
9.2.RME	Adult Residents - Site 3
9.3.RME	Construction Workers - Site 7
9.4.RME	Adult Residents - Site 7
9.5.RME	Construction Workers - Site 15
9.6.RME	Adult Residents - Site 15
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9.8.RME	Adult Residents - Site 20

**CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURES**

9.1.CTE	Construction Workers - Site 3
9.2.CTE	Adult Residents - Site 3
9.3.CTE	Construction Workers - Site 7
9.4.CTE	Adult Residents - Site 7
9.5.CTE	Construction Workers - Site 15
9.6.CTE	Adult Residents - Site 15
9.7.CTE	Construction Workers - Site 20
9.8.CTE	Adult Residents - Site 20

TABLE 9.1.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	--	--	1.6E-10	--	1.6E-10	Blood	--	--	0.00005	0.00005
			Trichloroethene	--	--	5.5E-11	--	5.5E-11	Liver	--	--	0.000	0.000
			Vinyl Chloride	--	--	1.5E-09	--	1.5E-09	Liver	--	--	0.00005	0.00005
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	2.6E-07	--	2.6E-07	NA	--	--	--	--
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	--	--	9.2E-07	--	9.2E-07	NA	--	--	--	--
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	--	--	7.3E-08	--	7.3E-08	NA	--	--	--	--
			Alpha-BHC	--	--	1.8E-09	--	1.8E-09	NA	--	--	0.00004	0.00004
			Arsenic	--	--	6.5E-09	--	6.5E-09	Skin, CVS	--	--	0.001	0.001
			Chemical Total	--	--	1.3E-06	--	1.3E-06		--	--	0.001	0.001
		Exposure Point Total						1.3E-06					0.001
	Exposure Medium Total							1.3E-06					0.001
Medium Total								1.3E-06					0.001
Receptor Total								Receptor Risk Total 1.3E-06					Receptor HI Total 0.001

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Update/Feasibility Study (TINUS, 2004).

TABLE 9.2.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient						
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total		
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1.3E-06	--	9.2E-08	--	1.4E-06	Blood	0.01	--	0.0009	0.01		
			Trichloroethene	2.6E-07	--	3.2E-08	--	2.9E-07	Liver	0.009	--	0.001	0.01		
			Vinyl Chloride	1.7E-05	--	6.4E-07	--	1.8E-05	Liver	0.02	--	0.0007	0.02		
			Benzo(a)pyrene	1.1E-05	--	1.8E-04	--	1.9E-04	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	2.6E-05	--	6.3E-04	--	6.6E-04	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	3.0E-08	--	5.0E-05	--	5.3E-05	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Alpha-BHC	2.1E-08	--	1.2E-06	--	3.3E-06	NA	0.002	--	0.0009	0.002		
			Arsenic	4.5E-04	--	1.1E-06	--	4.5E-04	Skin, CVS	2.3	--	0.006	2.3		
		Chemical Total	5.1E-04	--	8.6E-04	--	1.4E-03		2.4	--	0.01	2.4			
		Exposure Point Total								1.4E-03					2.4
		Exposure Medium Total								1.4E-03					2.4
	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	--	1.3E-06	--	--	1.3E-06	Blood	--	0.01	--	0.01		
			Trichloroethene	--	2.6E-07	--	--	2.6E-07	Liver	--	--	--	--		
			Vinyl Chloride	--	1.7E-05	--	--	1.7E-05	Liver	--	0.02	--	0.02		
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Alpha-BHC	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--		
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin, CVS	--	--	--	--		
		Chemical Total	--	1.9E-05	--	--	1.9E-05		--	0.04	--	0.04			
		Exposure Point Total								1.9E-05					0.04
		Exposure Medium Total								1.4E-03					2.4
								1.4E-03					2.4		
Medium Total								1.4E-03					2.4		
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					1.4E-03	Receptor HI Total				2.4		

Note:

Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Update/Feasibility Study (TINUS, 2004).

Total Blood HI	0.03
Total CVS HI	2.3
Total Liver HI	0.05
Total Skin HI	2.3

TABLE 9.3.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCS  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.002	0.002
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	2.0E-08	--	2.0E-08	None Specified	--	--	0.002	0.002
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	--	--	0.003	0.003
			Benzene	--	--	3.2E-10	--	3.2E-10	None Specified	--	--	0.0001	0.0001
			Trichloroethene	--	--	6.5E-10	--	6.5E-10	Liver	--	--	0.0007	0.0007
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	--	--	6.8E-08	--	6.8E-08	Liver	--	--	0.02	0.02
			Hexachlorobenzene	--	--	3.3E-07	--	3.3E-07	Liver	--	--	0.02	0.02
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	--	--	--	--
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.04	0.04
			Lead	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.01	0.01
		Chemical Total	--	--	4.2E-07	--	4.2E-07		--	--	0.09	0.09	
	Exposure Point Total					4.2E-07					0.09		
	Exposure Medium Total						4.2E-07					0.09	
Medium Total							4.2E-07					0.09	
Receptor Total				Receptor Risk Total				4.2E-07	Receptor HI Total				0.09

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TINUS (2002a).

TABLE 9.4.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.05	--	0.04	0.09
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	2.6E-05	--	1.3E-05	--	3.9E-05	None Specified	0.08	--	0.04	0.1
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	0.2	--	0.06	0.3
			Benzene	1.3E-06	--	1.5E-07	--	1.4E-06	None Specified	0.02	--	0.002	0.02
			Trichloroethene	3.0E-06	--	3.8E-07	--	3.3E-06	Liver	0.1	--	0.01	0.1
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	3.1E-05	--	4.7E-05	--	7.9E-05	Liver	0.3	--	0.4	0.7
			Hexachlorobenzene	5.6E-05	--	2.3E-04	--	2.9E-04	Liver	0.1	--	0.4	0.5
			Arsenic	2.0E-04	--	--	--	2.0E-04	Skin	1.0	--	--	1.0
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	0.2	--	--	0.2
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	1.2	--	0.2	1.4
			Lead	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.6	--	0.06	0.6
			Chemical Total	3.2E-04	--	2.9E-04	--	6.1E-04		3.8	--	1.3	5.1
		Exposure Point Total					6.1E-04					5.1	
	Exposure Medium Total							6.1E-04				5.1	
	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	0.05	--	0.05
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	--	2.6E-05	--	--	2.6E-05	None Specified	--	0.08	--	0.08
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	--	0.2	--	0.2
			Benzene	--	1.3E-06	--	--	1.3E-06	None Specified	--	0.02	--	0.02
			Trichloroethene	--	3.0E-06	--	--	3.0E-06	Liver	--	0.1	--	0.1
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	--	--	--	--
			Hexachlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	--	--	--	--
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	--	--	--	--
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--
			Lead	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--
			Chemical Total	--	3.0E-05	--	--	3.0E-05		--	0.5	--	0.5
		Exposure Point Total					3.0E-05					0.5	
	Exposure Medium Total							3.0E-05				0.5	
Medium Total							6.4E-04				5.6		
Receptor Total							6.4E-04				5.6		

Note:  
Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.  
From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, T1NUS (2002a).

Total Skin HI	1.0
Total Liver HI	1.9
Total CVS HI	0.2
Total Fetus HI	0.2
Total None Specified HI	2.4



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REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
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Scenario Timeframe: Future
Receptor Population: Construction Worker
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	--	--	0.002	0.002
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		--	0.002	0.002	
		Exposure Point Total											0.002
	Exposure Medium Total												0.002
	Medium Total												0.002
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					--	Receptor HI Total				0.002

TABLE 9.6.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	0.2	--	0.01	0.3
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		0.2	--	0.01	0.3
		Exposure Point Total											0.3
		Exposure Medium Total											0.3
	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	--	--	--	--
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		--	--	--	--
		Exposure Point Total											--
		Exposure Medium Total											0.3
	Medium Total												0.3
	Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					--	Receptor HI Total			

TABLE 9.7.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethane	--	--	5.2E-09	--	5.2E-09	Liver	--	--	0.003	0.003
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	1.1E-07	--	1.1E-07	NA	--	--	--	--
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	--	--	--	--
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	--	--	--	--
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--
			Chemical Total	--	--	1.1E-07	--	1.1E-07		--	--	0.003	0.003
		Exposure Point Total											
	Exposure Medium Total												0.003
Medium Total													0.003
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					Receptor HI Total					0.003

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TINUS (2002a).

TABLE 9.5.RME  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCS  
REASONABLE MAXIMUM EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient					
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total	
Groundwater	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethene	6.5E-07	--	8.2E-08	--	7.3E-07	Liver	0.02	--	0.003	0.03	
			Benzo(a)pyrene	4.3E-06	--	7.4E-05	--	7.8E-05	NA	--	--	--	--	
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	0.2	--	--	0.2	
			Arsenic	2.7E-04	--	--	--	2.7E-04	Skin	1.4	--	--	1.4	
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	0.1	--	--	0.1	
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	1.8	--	--	1.8	
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	1.5	--	--	1.5	
			Chemical Total	2.7E-04	--	7.4E-05	--	3.5E-04		5.1	--	0.003	5.1	
		Exposure Point Total							3.5E-04					5.1
		Exposure Medium Total							3.5E-04					5.1
	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethene	--	6.5E-07	--	--	6.5E-07	Liver	--	0.02	--	0.02	
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--	
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	--	--	--	--	
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--	
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	--	--	--	--	
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--	
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--	
			Chemical Total	--	6.5E-07	--	--	6.5E-07		--	0.02	--	0.02	
		Exposure Point Total							6.5E-07					0.02
		Exposure Medium Total							6.5E-07					0.02
Medium Total							3.5E-04					5.1		
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total				3.5E-04	Receptor HI Total				5.1		

Note:  
Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.  
From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TINUS (2002a).

Total Skin HI	3.2
Total Liver HI	0.05
Total Blood HI	0.2
Total Body Weight HI	0.1
Total None Specified HI	1.5

TABLE 9.1.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiallon)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	--	--	4.9E-11	--	4.9E-11	Blood	--	--	0.00002	0.00002
			Trichloroethene	--	--	1.7E-11	--	1.7E-11	Liver	--	--	0.00002	0.00002
			Vinyl Chloride	--	--	4.2E-10	--	4.2E-10	Liver	--	--	0.00001	0.00001
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	9.1E-08	--	9.1E-08	NA	--	--	--	--
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	--	--	3.2E-07	--	3.2E-07	NA	--	--	--	--
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	--	--	2.6E-06	--	2.6E-06	NA	--	--	--	--
			Alpha-BHC	--	--	6.2E-10	--	6.2E-10	NA	--	--	0.00001	0.00001
			Arsenic	--	--	1.6E-09	--	1.6E-09	Skin, CVS	--	--	0.0003	0.0003
			Chemical Total	--	--	4.4E-07	--	4.4E-07		--	--	0.0003	0.0003
		Exposure Point Total						4.4E-07					0.0003
	Exposure Medium Total							4.4E-07					0.0003
Medium Total								4.4E-07					0.0003
Receptor Total								4.4E-07					0.0003
								Receptor Risk Total					Receptor HI Total

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Update/Feasibility Study (TINUS, 2004).

TABLE 9.2.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1.9E-07	--	1.6E-08	--	2.0E-07	Blood	0.006	--	0.0005	0.007
			Trichloroethene	3.6E-08	--	5.2E-09	--	4.1E-08	Liver	0.004	--	0.0006	0.005
			Vinyl Chloride	2.4E-06	--	1.0E-07	--	2.5E-06	Liver	0.009	--	0.0004	0.009
			Benzo(a)pyrene	1.6E-06	--	2.9E-05	--	3.1E-05	NA	--	--	--	--
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	3.6E-06	--	1.0E-04	--	1.1E-04	NA	--	--	--	--
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	4.2E-07	--	8.3E-06	--	8.7E-06	NA	--	--	--	--
			Alpha-BHC	2.9E-07	--	2.0E-07	--	4.9E-07	NA	0.0007	--	0.0005	0.001
			Arsenic	6.3E-05	--	1.5E-07	--	6.3E-05	Skin, CVS	1.1	--	0.003	1.1
			Chemical Total	7.1E-05	--	1.4E-04	--	2.1E-04		1.1	--	0.00	1.1
		Exposure Point Total		2.1E-04									1.1
	Exposure Medium Total		2.1E-04									1.1	
	Groundwater	Site 3	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	--	1.9E-07	--	--	1.9E-07	Blood	--	0.006	--	0.006
			Trichloroethene	--	3.6E-08	--	--	3.6E-08	Liver	--	--	--	--
			Vinyl Chloride	--	2.4E-06	--	--	2.4E-06	Liver	--	0.009	--	0.009
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Alpha-BHC	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin, CVS	--	--	--	--
			Chemical Total	--	2.6E-06	--	--	2.6E-06		--	0.02	--	0.02
		Exposure Point Total		2.6E-06									0.02
	Exposure Medium Total		2.2E-04									1.1	
Medium Total			2.2E-04									1.1	
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					Receptor HI Total					1.1

Note:

Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Update/Feasibility Study (TINUS, 2004).

Total Blood HI	0.01
Total CVS HI	1.1
Total Liver HI	0.02
Total Skin HI	1.1

TABLE 9.3.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.0009	0.0009
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	3.2E-10	--	3.2E-10	None Specified	--	--	0.0010	0.0010
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	--	--	0.002	0.002
			Benzene	--	--	2.5E-11	--	2.5E-11	None Specified	--	--	0.00007	0.00007
			Trichloroethene	--	--	1.7E-11	--	1.7E-11	Liver	--	--	0.0003	0.0003
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	--	--	2.1E-09	--	2.1E-09	Liver	--	--	0.009	0.009
			Hexachlorobenzene	--	--	9.8E-08	--	9.8E-08	Liver	--	--	0.009	0.009
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	--	--	--	--
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.02	0.02
			Lead	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	0.005	0.005
		Chemical Total	--	--	1.0E-07	--	1.0E-07		--	--	0.05	0.05	
	Exposure Point Total						1.0E-07				0.05		
	Exposure Medium Total						1.0E-07				0.05		
Medium Total							1.0E-07				0.05		
Receptor Total							1.0E-07				0.05		

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TINUS (2002a).

TABLE 9.4.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.006	--	0.03	0.03
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	1.7E-07	--	1.0E-07	--	2.7E-07	None Specified	0.002	--	0.03	0.03
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver	0.004	--	0.04	0.05
			Benzene	5.0E-08	--	6.7E-09	--	5.7E-08	None Specified	0.002	--	0.001	0.004
			Trichloroethene	3.5E-08	--	5.1E-09	--	4.0E-08	Liver	0.004	--	0.009	0.01
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	3.8E-07	--	6.7E-07	--	1.1E-06	Liver	0.01	--	0.3	0.3
			Hexachlorobenzene	7.3E-06	--	3.1E-05	--	3.9E-05	Liver	0.04	--	0.3	0.3
			Arsenic	4.3E-06	--	--	--	4.3E-06	Skin	0.07	--	--	0.07
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	0.008	--	--	0.008
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.05	--	0.2	0.2
			Lead	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--
			Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.02	--	0.04	0.06
			Chemical Total	1.2E-05	--	3.2E-05	--	4.4E-05		0.2	--	0.8	1.1
		Exposure Point Total					4.4E-05					1.1	
	Exposure Medium Total					4.4E-05					1.1		
	Groundwater	Torpedo Shops (Site 7)	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	0.008	--	0.008
			1,4-Dichlorobenzene	--	1.7E-07	--	--	1.7E-07	None Specified	--	0.002	--	0.002
			Chlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver		0.004		0.004
			Benzene	--	5.0E-08	--	--	5.0E-08	None Specified		0.002		0.002
			Trichloroethene	--	3.5E-08	--	--	3.5E-08	Liver		0.004		0.004
			Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	--	--	--	--	--	Liver		--		--
			Hexachlorobenzene	--	--	--	--	--	Liver		--		--
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Barium	--	--	--	--	--	CVS, Fetus	--	--	--	--
			Chromium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--
Lead		--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--		
Vanadium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--			
Chemical Total	--	2.6E-07	--	--	2.5E-07		--	0.02	--	0.02			
Exposure Point Total					2.5E-07					0.02			
Exposure Medium Total					2.5E-07					0.02			
Medium Total					4.5E-05					1.1			
Receptor Total					Receptor Risk Total	4.5E-05				Receptor HI Total	1.1		

Note:  
Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.  
From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TtNUS (2002a).

Total Skin HI	0.07
Total Liver HI	0.7
Total CVS HI	0.008
Total Fetus HI	0.008
Total None Specified HI	0.3



TABLE 9.5.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient						
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total		
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	--	--	0.0005	0.0005		
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		--	0.0005	0.0005			
		Exposure Point Total							0.0005						
	Exposure Medium Total								0.0005						
	Medium Total								0.0005						
Receptor Total				Receptor Risk Total					--	Receptor HI Total					0.0005

TABLE 9.6.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient					
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total	
Groundwater	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	0.1	--	0.005	0.1	
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		0.1	--	0.005	0.1	
		Exposure Point Total							--					0.1
		Exposure Medium Total							--					0.1
	Groundwater	Site 15	Cadmium	--	--	--	--	--	Kidney	--	--	--	--	
			Chemical Total	--	--	--	--	--		--	--	--	--	
		Exposure Point Total							--					--
		Exposure Medium Total							--					0.1
	From Basewide Groundwater Open							--					0.1	
	Medium Total							--					0.1	
Receptor Total		Receptor Risk Total					--	Receptor HI Total				0.1		

TABLE 9.7.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Construction Worker  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient				
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total
Groundwater	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethene	--	--	7.9E-10	--	7.9E-10	Liver	--	--	0.002	0.002
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	2.4E-08	--	2.4E-08	NA	--	--	--	--
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	--	--	--	--
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	--	--	--	--
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--
			Chemical Total	--	--	2.5E-08	--	2.5E-08		--	--	0.002	0.002
		Exposure Point Total					2.5E-08					0.002	
	Exposure Medium Total							2.5E-08				0.002	
Medium Total							2.5E-08				0.002		
Receptor Total							Receptor Risk Total 2.5E-08				Receptor HI Total 0.002		

From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, T1NUS (2002a).

TABLE 9.8.CTE  
SUMMARY OF RECEPTOR RISKS AND HAZARDS FOR COPCs  
CENTRAL TENDENCY EXPOSURE  
SITES 3, 7, 14, 15, 18, AND 20 GROUNDWATER RECORD OF DECISION  
NSB-NLON, GROTON, CONNECTICUT

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Resident  
Receptor Age: Adult

Medium	Exposure Medium	Exposure Point	Chemical of Potential Concern	Carcinogenic Risk					Non-Carcinogenic Hazard Quotient					
				Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	External (Radiation)	Exposure Routes Total	Primary Target Organ(s)	Ingestion	Inhalation	Dermal	Exposure Routes Total	
Groundwater	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethene	4.5E-08	--	6.6E-09	--	5.1E-08	Liver	0.005	--	0.002	0.007	
			Benzo(a)pyrene	3.8E-07	--	7.6E-06	--	8.0E-06	NA	--	--	--	--	
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	0.06	--	--	0.06	
			Arsenic	1.3E-05	--	3.2E-08	--	1.3E-05	Skin	0.2	--	--	0.2	
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	0.02	--	--	0.02	
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	0.3	--	--	0.3	
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	0.4	--	--	0.4	
			Chemical Total	1.4E-05	--	7.6E-06	--	2.1E-05		1.0	--	0.002	1.0	
		Exposure Point Total								2.1E-05				1.0
		Exposure Medium Total								2.1E-05				1.0
	Groundwater	Area A Weapons Center (Site 20)	Trichloroethene	--	4.5E-08	--	--	4.5E-08	Liver	--	0.005	--	0.005	
			Benzo(a)pyrene	--	--	--	--	--	NA	--	--	--	--	
			Antimony	--	--	--	--	--	Blood	--	--	--	--	
			Arsenic	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--	
			Nickel	--	--	--	--	--	Body Weight	--	--	--	--	
			Silver	--	--	--	--	--	Skin	--	--	--	--	
			Thallium	--	--	--	--	--	None Specified	--	--	--	--	
			Chemical Total	--	4.5E-08	--	--	4.5E-08		--	0.005	--	0.005	
		Exposure Point Total								4.5E-08				0.005
		Exposure Medium Total								4.5E-08				0.005
								2.1E-05				1.0		
Medium Total								2.1E-05				1.0		
Receptor Total			Receptor Risk Total					2.1E-05	Receptor HI Total			1.0		

Note:  
Inhalation exposures are assumed to be equal to the exposures from ingestion of groundwater.  
From Basewide Groundwater Operable Unit Remedial Investigation Report, TINUS (2002a).

Total Skin HI	0.5
Total Liver HI	0.01
Total Blood HI	0.06
Total Body Weight HI	0.02
Total None Specified HI	0.4

## **APPENDIX E**

### **SELECTED REMEDY COST ESTIMATE**

NSB-NLON

GROTON, CONNECTICUT

SITES 3 AND 7 GROUNDWATER (Alternatives GW 1-2 and GW 2-2)

NATURAL ATTENUATION WITH MONITORING AND INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS

Present Worth Analysis for Record of Decision

Year	Sites 3/7 - Alt. GW 1-2 Capital Cost	Sites 3/7 - Alt. GW 1-2 Annual Cost	Site 7 - Alt. GW2-2 Capital Cost	Site 7 - Alt. GW2-2 Annual Cost	Total Year Cost	Annual Discount Rate at 3.2%	Present Worth
0	\$59,189		\$59,713		\$118,901	1.000	\$118,901
1		\$51,212		\$49,264	\$100,476	0.969	\$97,360
2		\$16,378		\$14,441	\$30,819	0.939	\$28,937
3		\$16,378		\$14,441	\$30,819	0.910	\$28,040
4		\$16,378		\$14,441	\$30,819	0.882	\$27,171
5		\$41,378		\$39,441	\$80,819	0.854	\$69,042
6		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.828	\$1,656
7		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.802	\$1,604
8		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.777	\$1,555
9		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.753	\$1,506
10		\$41,378		\$39,441	\$80,819	0.730	\$58,982
11		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.707	\$1,414
12		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.685	\$1,370
13		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.664	\$1,328
14		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.643	\$1,287
15		\$41,378		\$39,441	\$80,819	0.623	\$50,387
16		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.604	\$1,208
17		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.585	\$1,171
18		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.567	\$1,134
19		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.550	\$1,099
20		\$41,378		\$39,441	\$80,819	0.533	\$43,045
21		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.516	\$1,032
22		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.500	\$1,000
23		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.485	\$969
24		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.470	\$939
25		\$41,378		\$39,441	\$80,819	0.455	\$36,772
26		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.441	\$882
27		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.427	\$854
28		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.414	\$828
29		\$1,000		\$1,000	\$2,000	0.401	\$802
30		\$56,340		\$49,135	\$105,475	0.389	\$40,997

**TOTAL PRESENT WORTH** \$623,275